

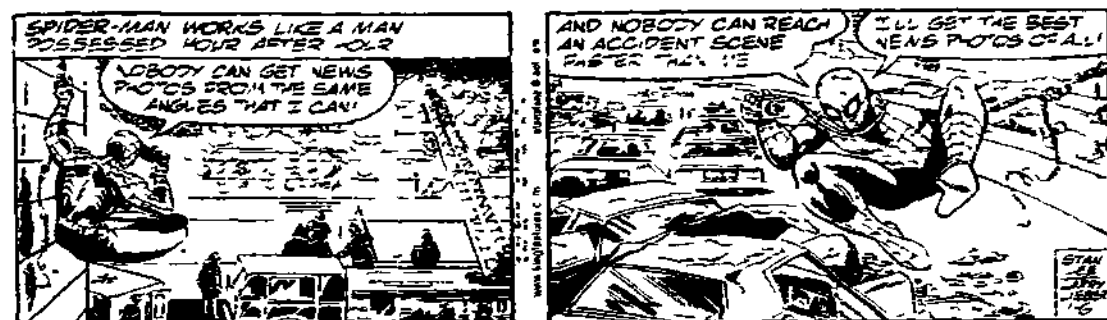
# BLONDIE



# SALLY FORTH



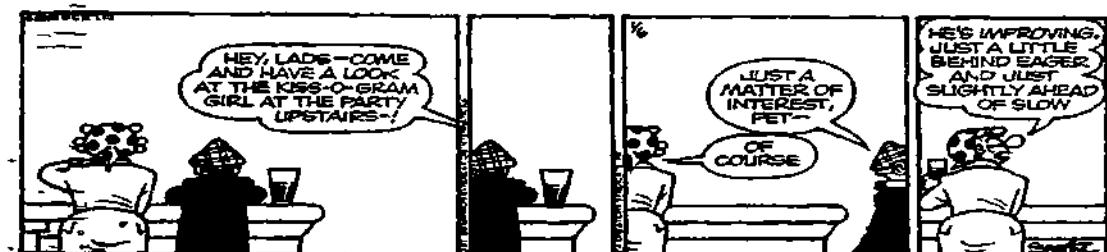
# THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN



# 9 CHICKWEED LANE



# ANDY CAPP



# ROSE IS ROSE



# HAGAR THE HORRIBLE



# MOTHER GOOSE AND GRIMM



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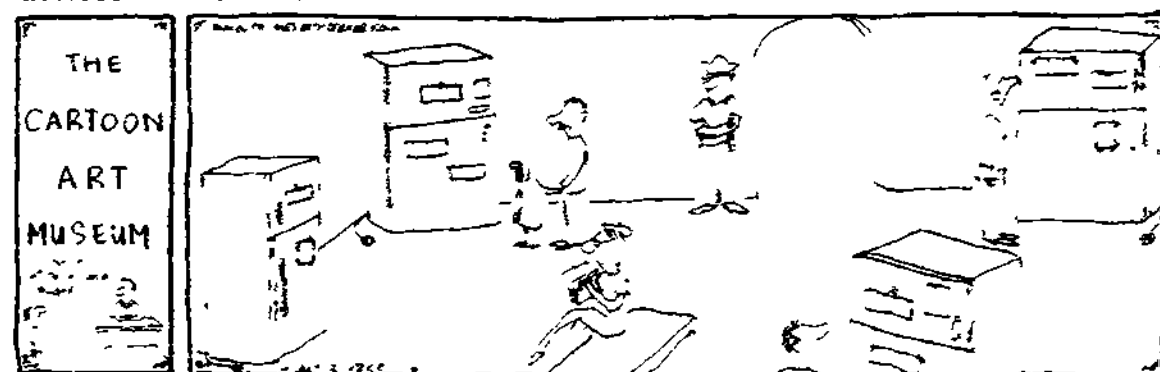
# DENNIS THE MENACE



# FAMILY CIRCUS



# RYHMES WITH ORANGE



# HOROSCOPE

**For Friday, Jan. 7**

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Once you've found a good something, you can achieve it.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) You have the chance to influence someone today in a positive manner.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) There's confusion about something. Make sure you voice your concerns.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) You may find yourself dealing with some angry personal matters today.

**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22) Your enthusiasm is contagious today.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Attending a work-related event could result in a new acquaintance.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Looking back at the past may lead to regret.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Incorporating other people's ideas might be a good way to show everyone at the office that you can be a team player.

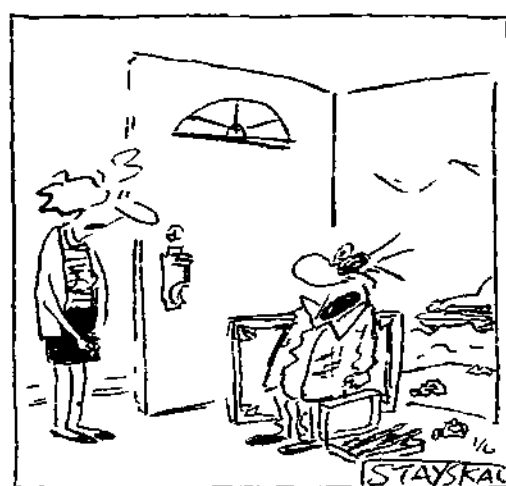
**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) As the moon leaves Capricorn, it might be in your best interest not to go shopping.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) As the moon leaves your house, you find yourself having the time of your life today.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Try to make a to-do list today, and then follow it as closely as possible.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19 to March 20) Don't be afraid to ask for help when you need it.

# RALPH



# WORD SLEUTH

# ASSOCIATED WITH BOXING

DKH DAX MUR PM JGD A  
XVS QNKO I F DAX VTQ  
OMJ HFCUYSAYWURP  
NNL JHFTDASRBZXV  
TROQOMHKVKEIHRF  
DBZ IYWPVNTTVIRQ  
ONL KSI I SAHHNOFD  
CATZEI EL CXGCU LW  
VUSUBPCLRQIONOG  
NMKJOAEEREFERUC  
IHFRRBJBDNUOREP

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions: forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Thursday's unlisted clue: **FLOOR OF THE RING**

|          |         |            |       |
|----------|---------|------------|-------|
| Bell     | Fighter | Mouthpiece | Robes |
| Bout     | Gloves  | Punch      | Ropes |
| Count    | Jab     | Referee    | Round |
| Decision | Kayo    | Ring       |       |

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For solution, see Classified.

# N.Y. TIMES CROSSWORD

No. 1125

**ACROSS**

1 Jobs so to speak

5 Any ship

8 Rattle

12 Manhattan Project scientist

13 Gripe

14 Gulf ship

15 See 22-Down

16 American, e.g.

18 A capital Nobel Prize novelist?

20 Shape-changing protozoan

21 Standup bit

22 "Can \_\_\_\_\_ dreaming?"

25 A capital NBA legend?

29 Refrain syllable

32 Apprentice

33 Imp'ed

34 A capital Oscar-winning actor?

39 African virus

40 Revolutionary leader

41 Want ad abbr.

42 A capital English stage actress?

47 First

48 Bird of myth

49 Drench

52 A capital movie outlaw?

56 Physically fit

59 Just lying around

60 New Zealand native

61 New stock issuances for short

62 Pants part

63 Smoker's purchase

64 Big hits in computer games

65 "Ciao"

**DOWN**

1 Walkie-walkie

2 Where some people come to blows

3 Coffee break time, perhaps

4 Modus operandi

5 Silk in Strasbourg

6 Plucked item

7 Confine

8 Mountain covering

9 Champ of 10/30/74

10 End of a series

11 Drop the ball

13 Malaysia's Strait of

14 Work for a folder

17 Uzbekistan's \_\_\_\_\_ Sea

19 Eastern sash

22 It's seen through a 15-Across

23 It may be picked in the country

24 \_\_\_\_\_ nous

26 Warm hello

27 Result of the Manhattan Project

28 Door sign

29 Fraternity letter

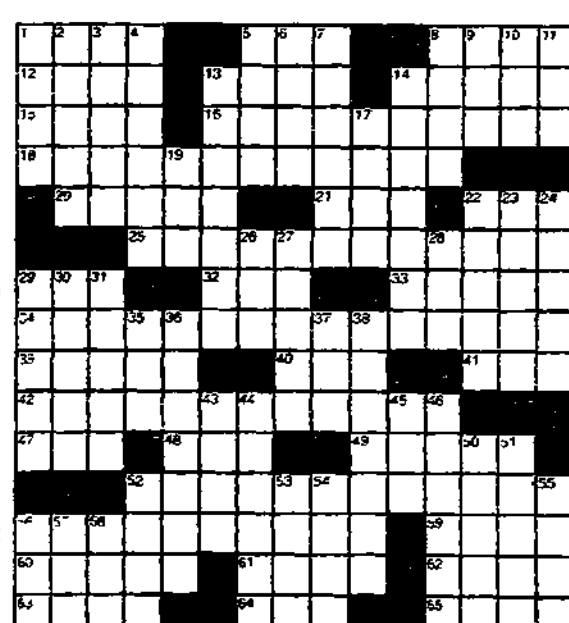
30 Tenorite prayer

31 Go wide of

35 The aggregate

# ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HIFI SPICY GOWN  
ACID TABOO OREO  
BEVEWYVEWYQUIET  
ICE ALE LOUD  
TATTLED EAGER  
SPOIL ALPS LAC  
NEUTRAL SOSA  
ISNTSHEWOWEY  
DAILY MEANOR  
EGO ACES RUBIK  
BOWER BROMINE  
ROIL EON BSA  
IMHUNTINGWASBIT  
BOOP CLOUD REDDO  
MEET MINNY ADEN



Puzzle by David J. Kahn

36 Capital near a game reserve

37 Blade site

38 Gizmos

43 Fair

44 Stranded during the winter say

45 Flagship station of the old Mutual Broadcasting System

46 Hardly the modest type

50 Where to start paying an LP

51 Beethoven's "Concerto No. 5 in \_\_\_\_\_ major"

52 Schiamei

53 "Holy cow!"

54 Business VIP's

55 Greek cheese

56 Sound booster

57 Sound from the fold

58 \_\_\_\_\_ cat (footnote abbr.)

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